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Grand Jury Report Discloses Gambling Probe, Attacks Judge Cotton and Ferrell

Lack of co-operation by Dist. Atty. Gilbert D. Ferrell in its investigation of gambling in San Mateo County and the sudden termination of the investigation by the dismissal of the jury by Superior Court Judge A. R. Cotton were hit in the grand jury's final report.

Atty. Gen. Robert W. Kenny, on the other hand, was given credit for co-operating with the jury in its investigation.

"The attorney general appeared conversant with our problems in this county and proceeded to give us immediate co-operation, assigning investigators to co-operate with us and carry on a thorough investigation," the report states.

The report says that shortly after the jury was impaneled last July it called in the police chiefs and Sheriff James J. McGrath and was told by these officials that to their knowledge there was no illegal gambling, slot machine operation, book-making and other activities of a similar nature "irrespective of the fact that members of the grand jury had reason to believe that such was not the true situation."

"Immediately we called in the district attorney at which time he informed the jury that he very seldom saw fit to interfere with any of the law enforcement phases of the county political subdivisions or of the sheriff's office which were presumed to be handled by those bodies and he informed us that he had no intention to do so and that he assumed they and the sheriff had conducted their offices as they individually interpreted the law requires that they should."

The report continued that the jury asked District Attorney Ferrell whether or not he would approve a request to the board of supervisors for a $5000 appropriation and carry on an investigation under his jurisdiction and in co-operation with the grand jury in relation to possible collusion between the gambling interests and the law enforcement agencies.

"He stated that he would not be a party to the granting of such funds and inferred that he would not participate with the grand jury in any such investigation at that time," the report states.

Superior Court Judge Aylett R. Cotton (left) accepts the 14-page grand jury report from Foreman Glen O. Smallcomb yesterday just prior to his removing the 19 jurors. (Tribune photo)

Superior Court Judge Aylett R. Cotton, who Monday afternoon dismissed the 1945-'46 San Mateo County Grand Jury, himself came in for criticism in the grand jury's report, with the comment from Atty. Gen. Robert W. Kenny when he was advised that the jury was being dismissed thereby ending the gambling investigation which was under way, that "It appears that the box is now locked."

The jury made it plain, too, in the second paragraph of its 14-page report, that the first order of business of the jury was to approve a resolution requesting the governor to sign a bill increasing the salary of superior court judges from $8500 to $10,500 a year.

The report, signed by Foreman Glen O. Smallcomb and Secy. Clyde Manwell, declared that as to one of his reasons for his sudden dismissal of the jury—that he did not believe the jury should be the center of debate between groups of county officials—that Judge Cotton apparently was "misled by certain articles appearing in one of the county newspapers (San Mateo Times)."

"The subject of these newspaper articles—criticism for lack of planning—had never been discussed before the grand jury although the penal code provides that it is within the discretion of grand juries as representatives of the public to delve into lack of fulfilling responsibilities by public officials," the report states.

The grand jury last Thursday night called Geoffrey Currall, San Mateo Times reporter, before it for questioning about an article Feb. 21 containing statements from two anonymous members of the jury critical of the situation on the county's public works program.

As a result of investigations by the grand jury, the jury report states, corrections of "intolerable conditions" were ordered by the board of supervisors at the County Relief Home.

Attention was focused on the lack of recreational facilities on the Coastside and particularly Sharp Park. Constructive recommendations were made which will bring about the acquisition of badly needed facilities including recreation buildings acquired from the state through efforts of members of the grand jury, the report states.

School Bonds Approved In Belmont

By a 13-1 majority, Belmont voters Monday approved a $120,000 elementary school district bond issue for erection of a new school between Ralston and Belburn Aves., near Academy Dr. and for modernization of the present school on Watermire St.

Of the 282 ballots cast, there were 259 "Yes" votes; 20 "No" votes and 3 spoiled.

Trustee Helen Topham pointed out that there are 1350 registered voters in the district bounded by Devonshire in San Carlos, the northerly city limits of Belmont, Crystal Springs Lake and the bay. Approximately 22 per cent of the registered voters cast ballots yesterday.

Only 69 persons had voted by 1 p.m., but voters went to polls steadily from 3:30 until the 7 p.m. closing time, Mrs. Topham reported.

Trustees met after the ballots were canvassed for a short session. Three property owners on Ralston Ave. appeared before the board and asked that the proposed new school be erected to face Ralston Ave., and not Belburn Ave. They said papers from the school yard would blow onto their property if the yard faced their land.

Mrs. Topham said the board asked the property owners to meet with the architects when preliminary plans are presented sometime in the near future. The architects are Frederick R. L. Confer, chairman of the board of architects of the proposed $18,000,000 Oakland civic center, and Oscar M. Price, also of Oakland.

Trustees appointed Confer and Price to design the new school after interviewing a number of architects during the past few weeks, Mrs. Topham said. The two architects are preparing a master plan for the new school and the building will go ahead as time and money permits, she explained.

Trustees will hold their next meeting when the architects are ready with preliminary sketches, Mrs. Topham said. Also to be discussed is a teachers salary schedule.

Trustees Canvass Election Ballots

Redwood City Elementary School District trustees met at 1 p. m. Tuesday to convass the 2072 ballots cast in the district's $600,000 bond issue election last Tuesday.

The meeting, scheduled for Tuesday night, was moved up to comply with Asst. Dist. Atty. Daniel E. Sullivan's ruling that ballots must be canvassed at 1 p. m. seven days after a school bond issue voting day.

The trustees were also scheduled to tour the Atherton area for a school site in that region and to discuss the building program provided for by the bond issue funds.

Supt. Andrew Spinas reported there was one absentee ballot which must be opened. Voters last week approved the bond issue by a 5-1 majority with 1721 yes votes cast as compared to 334 no votes.

Jurors Offer Billing Plan For County Health Office

Charging that bookkeeping system in the County Health and Welfare Dept. is "very unsatisfactory," the County Grand Jury in its final report submitted Monday afternoon recommended to the board of supervisors that it adopt an ordinance setting out a definite patient billing procedure containing six specified provisions.

The grand jury claimed that the billing, posting and collecting of charges are not under proper control, that there are irregularities in accounting procedure and that previous misappropriation of funds was made possible by the inadequacies of the present accounting procedures.

More than $70,000 now delinquent accounts receivable in the health department is partly due to the present accounting and collecting system, the jury claims.

The grand jury recommended that a running account be opened to record the accountability of the tax collector, this account to be charged or credited with all corrections or adjustments when these are made.

This recommendation was based on the auditors' report which stated that in connection with corrections and adjustments to the secured tax roll, the only summarized record of such changes is maintained on loose working papers which cannot be regarded as a permanent form.

As there is no definite control account or other record maintained by the public administrator which would obviate any estate being overlooked through loose files or ledger sheets being misplaced, the jury recommended that a control account be opened, this account to be charged and credited with all receipts and disbursements and the balance periodically agreed with the balances on the individual ledger sheets at present maintained for each estate.

Nude Woman Found Dead On Coastside

A post-mortem examination was scheduled for late Monday afternoon to determine cause of death of Jewel Grace Struble, 31, comely San Francisco woman, whose nude body was discovered on the Half Moon Bay beach shortly after midnight Monday.

Fred Simmons Jr. discovered her bruised and scratched body nearly two hours after Leland N. Cohea, 26, a chief watertender in the navy, went to the Dream Cafe and told Mrs. Costta Miano the woman had disappeared while the two were swimming in the nude.

Cohea, held as a material witness in the county jail today, said the pair had rented a cabin at 9:30 Sunday night, and that after having several drinks, had decided to go swimming.

They swam beyond the breakers, and started back for shore, he told deputies.

He failed to find her when he returned to the beach, and became alarmed, Cohea continued.

Cohea, who recently returned from leave in St. Louis, Mo., said he had known the dead woman for five years. A pay check among her personal effects indicated she had been employed by the Singer Sewing Machine Co., Chief Dep. Sheriff Walter Moore said today.

Dr. Stuart Lindsay will perform the autopsy.

Cohea, who said he was slated for discharge at Camp Shoemaker, gave his address as 1725 Turk St., San Francisco, home of the dead woman.

EPA Woman Hurt In Bayshore Collision

Mrs. Mabel Hart, 48, 2049 Euclid Ave., East Palo Alto, suffered minor injuries at 5:55 p.m. Monday when the automobile in which she was riding with Guy W. Hart, 53, and one driven by John Kidd, 42, of Los Altos, collided at the intersection of Bayshore Hwy. and University Ave., East Palo Alto, the California Highway Patrol reported. Mrs. Hart was treated at Community Hospital in San Mateo and dismissed.

Peninsulans Named On Federal Grand Jury

Herbert W. Davis, 265 Chestnut St., San Carlos, was one of several San Mateo County residents sworn in as federal grand jurors in San Francisco Monday.

Among the 23 persons on the panel are Hugh J. Bergald, 185 Poplar St., Millbrae Highlands; Frank W. Bland, 223 Hillcrest Blvd., Millbrae; Robert W. Borden, 1345 Drake Ave., Burlingame; Edward H. Forostier, 1348 De Soto Ave., Burlingame; John W. Phillips, 381 Laurel Ave., Millbrae.

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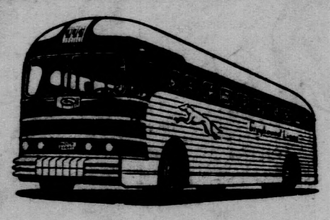

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News of Commuters

By JOE CABOOSE

Have you weighed yourself lately? We suggest you do so, then read what Supreme Court Justice Roberts says about how America has fallen down on her food commitments to UNRRA. The U. S. promised to deliver 300 million pounds of meat to UNRRA in the first three months of this year. To date we have delivered less than 4 per cent of the quota. Less than 3 per cent of our fats and oils quota has been delivered.

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Everywhere we read eye-witness accounts from accredited correspondents of mass starvation in Europe, China, India and Japan. Hundreds of persons, mostly women and babies, are dying daily from malnutrition plus the rigors of Winter. In a confidential weekly news-letter from Washington we read that Americans are now eating at the rate of "115." Which is based on a pre-war norm of 100. This means, in spite of shortages such as butter and choice meats, we are eating 15 per cent more food than we normally ate, and probably 25 per cent more than we need.

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For us to consume more food than we need and thus fall down on our commitments abroad, while thousands of our fellow humans are dying of hunger, places a heavy burden upon our national conscience. We fell down on our deliveries abroad because we, the people, brought pressure on the administration and on Congress for more food for ourselves. And yet, any one of us would go without food indefinitely if we knew for a fact it would save one child from starving. But we don't see the child starving. It's a question of propinquity. We are too remote from the scene of tragedy. And we lack imagination.

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After reading and cogitating about all this we stepped on the scales and were shocked to see the needle point accusingly to 195 pounds. Yes, we've been eating too well. Our fighting weight is 175 pounds and we shouldn't weigh an ounce over. We're glad now we didn't write our congressman complaining about the butter and meat shortage; and we're glad next Wednesday is the beginning of Lent which will serve to reinforce our resolution "to eat less, that others may eat enough to sustain life." It's a bit terrifying to think that the surplus food you consumed or wasted might have meant the difference between life and death for one or more individuals during this tragic postwar Winter.

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And while on the subject of our responsibility as "our brother's keeper," let us not forget the 1946 American Red Cross fund campaign now underway. The war is over, but not our responsibility to the thousands of service men here and abroad who still need our help. We trust that all commuters will give at least half of their total annual subscription to the Redwood City fund.

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Pierre Huss of North Palo Alto, famous foreign correspondent and author, is home from the wars and will spend a month visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Huss. Pierre can give you eye-witness testimony to the conditions of hunger and desolation hinted at above. Incidentally, Caboose gave Huss his first newspaper job, back in Chicago in 1928 as rewrite man for International News Service. Pierre was fresh from Columbia School of Journalism. And Caboose, then as now, could barely read and write.

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A letter from a commuter complains about the local bus service. Says that when Owner Martin was getting started in Redwood City the commuters "backed him to the hilt," and even "testified for him before the Railroad Commission when a giant competitor tried to smother him." Now, the plaintiff charges, Martin has pulled off some of the late night buses which formerly met trains. Specifically, the writer mentioned the San Carlos bus which used to meet the 9:11 train. We seldom use the buses and haven't checked the situation, but we believe Martin wants to give, and will give, the best service possible. He has his problems too. Perhaps soon he can meet the 9:11 train again.

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One hundred and five fathers and sons jammed to capacity the Methodist Church social hall Thursday night when Cub Pack 16, sponsored by the Commuters Club, entertained at dinner. It was one of the nicest affairs we have ever been privileged to attend. And how those cubs can cook! Pack Master Schott presided and various officials made brief talks. These included President Brizee, Councilman Armstrong, Chet Wilson, Bert Morgan, Will Rogers, Ray Cereghino, Wayne Burke and others we didn't know.

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Morgan was introduced as the "grandfather of cubbing," having organized the first pack in 1850, right after the gold rush, or thereabouts. Scanning the room we noticed such civic stalwarts as Harrison Call, Harold Anderson, Pete Towne, Lou Behrens, Dr. Ames, Andy Spinas, etc., etc. While the fathers and sons sat there big as life, taking all the bows, a group of lovely ladies toiled unseen in the kitchen. These included Mesdames Earl Hallett, Harry J. Love, Gerald Conlan, James H. Flanagan, Will Rogers, Harmon Overmire, James R. Brown and Anders M. Jacobsen. It was ever thus . . . the men taking the bows and the women doing the work. But it was a grand party, and the Commuters can be proud of their boys' work, among both Cubs and Scouts. And thanks to Tidewater Associated for the interesting movies!

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Keep open the night of Mar. 14! That's the Commuters first "fathers-sons-and-daughters" dinner meeting, at Grace & Pierre's. This means something has been added to the father-sons routine, and we're wondering how it will work out. Our biggest worry, however, is . . . what to do with mother that night? Watch for next week's story: "The Healthiest Commuter." (Bet you can't guess who he is!)

Trustees Study South County Site

One absentee "yes" ballot brought the total votes cast in the Feb. 26 Redwood City Elementary School Dist. $600,000 bond election to 2073, Supt. Andrew Spinas reported following the canvassing of ballots at Tuesday's 1 p.m. trustees meeting.

The total "yes" votes were 1722 compared to 334 "no" votes.

Trustees yesterday toured the Atherton area to investigate possible sites for a new school and then viewed the area around Alden and Warren Sts. where the district owns one block upon which a new school will be erected.

Spinas said today that the trustees would probably hold a special meeting before their next regular meeting Mar. 28 to go over the building program in detail. The architectural firm of Ernest J. Kump is making a building needs survey of the district and will submit plans soon for the new school at Charter and Stambaugh Sts., Spinas said.

If you'd like to have some nice frosted glasses, you can frost them by mixing epsom salts with varnish and applying it to the surface.

Judge Scott to Delay Naming New Jury; Gambling Probe Aired

San Mateo County will be without a grand jury for several months, Superior Court Judge Edmund Scott, who has the authority to appoint a new jury, indicated Tuesday.

Judge Scott said he was busy with too many other things, including catching up on the court calendar and setting out new court procedures at the present time, and declared it would be several months before he gets around to impaneling a new grand jury.

Superior Court Judge A. R. Cotton dismissed the 1945-46 grand jury yesterday afternoon.

Informed of a statement by Atty. Gen. Robert W. Kenny that his office, who has had investigators probing into the gambling situation in San Mateo County, that the investigators were no longer needed "because if they found anything, they would have no jury to report their findings to," Judge Scott said any evidence could be turned over to the district attorney.

Kenny said that if a new grand jury expresses a desire to have investigators, "that would be a different matter."

Dist. Atty. Gilbert D. Ferrell, who was charged by the grand jury with failure to co-operate with it in its investigation of gambling, declared today that "if we did not go along with the grand jury to the extent desired by some of the members, it was because it is our duty and responsibility to run this office, and we do not turn the job over to others however well intentioned they may be."

"I am extremely doubtful that the report of the grand jury, insofar as it relates to this office, represents the views of the entire membership of the grand jury, or even represents a majority thereof.

"I assigned my chief deputy to the grand jury and he attended their meetings and gave them needed advice and assistance.

"Some members of the grand jury asked me about obtaining $5000 from public funds which they were to use in hiring their own investigators and making such investigations as they saw fit to make. I was supposed to pay the bills. I advised them that such a procedure would be a violation of the law both on their part and on the part of the district attorney and that I could not approve it.

"Reference is made in the report to the transcript or proceedings in San Jose (the Emig gambling conspiracy trial). I have not been able to obtain them for the reason that the reporter states that she cannot unscramble them. I do not think they are of any particular value to us in our investigation in this county."

Dr. Charles C. Gans, director of the Public Health and Welfare Dept., whose methods of accounting and collections were criticized by the grand jury, said he was in full agreement with the auditors and grand jury on collections, declaring his department is not a collection agency and stating it properly belongs in the tax collector's office.

County Employe Seeks Damages

Oliver J. Hobson, engineer draftsman in the San Mateo County engineer's office, Tuesday asked $16,714.50 damages in a suit against Arthur D. Jones and Mary Grace Fenaranda.

The suit arose from an automobile collision at Jefferson Ave. and Middlefield Rd. in Redwood City Jan. 11.

Lions Make First Report To Red Cross

The Redwood City Lions Club, under the colonelship of Wayne Millington, Tuesday became the first team of solocitors to turn in contributions in the 1946 Red Cross War Fund Drive, Chmn. Philip S. Maslin reported today.

Although he did not disclose amount of the Lions Club collection, Maslin said first tabulations of contributions to date would probably be made Thursday.

Response of mail contributions has been generous, he added.

Of the $37,000 quota, $29,000, representing three-fourths of every dollar, will be used locally, Maslin reminded. The remainder will be spent by the Red Cross in furtherance of its nationwide and worldwide programs.

"No money that can be spent in any way will go more directly to the relief of distress and suffering," he said.

"Colonels" in the drive are: John Bragoni, representing Redwood City Nest, Order of Owls; Mrs. A. S. Liguori, Redwood City Woman's Club; Joe Harper, Commuters Club; J. T. Ellis, Foresters Lodge; Ralph S. Dodge, Native Sons; Dorothy Sabin, Native Daughters; Mrs. P. S. Constanta, American Legion Auxiliary; Dr. W. B. Langston, Exchange Club; R. A. Harris, Junior Chamber of Commerce; F. H. Miller, Kiwanis; Millington, Lions Club; Charles White, Eagles Lodge; Victor Canavese, Italian Catholic Federation; Mrs. Jennie Worth, Rebekah Lodge; Mrs. E. G. Campbell, Daughters of Union Veterans; Mrs. S. S. Mayo, Sequoia Parent-Teachers' Assn..

This aerial view by the Tribune photographer of Dibble General Hospital shows how this army installation has grown from a bare field to one of the largest hospital units on the Pacific Coast. The Menlo Park unit is having its second birthday party today—which will probably be its last, because the army plans to abandon the site this Summer. The area has been recommended as a site for a south county high school.

Atherton Man Named In Mitschler Will

G. Elmer Jennings, 336 Selby Ln., Atherton, was bequeathed $8000 in a will made by the late Miss Marie Louise Mitschler, long-time San Francisco resident and heiress to a Hawaiian fortune, who died last September.

Jennings was one of three Peninsulans to share in the estate, value of which is $268,323 according to an appraisal filed in San Francisco Superior Court, Monday.

Also named were Antoine Borel and wife of San Mateo, who are to receive $2000 each.

LEAVES HUGE ESTATE

The estate of Albert B. McKee of Woodside, was appraised at $132,385.97 by James A. Lee, and the inventory was filed Monday in the office of County Clerk W. H. Augustus. Alice H. McKee is executrix of the estate, which includes real estate in Stockton valued at $30,710.56.

Leaves Huge Estate

Edward S. Rothschild, who died July 28, 1945, left an estate valued at $50,609.84, according an an appraisal filed in superior court here Monday.

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"The phenomenal development of the Pacific Coast with its tremendous strides in commerce, industry, military and naval activities has placed, and will continue to place, exacting demands upon our company. With the nationwide interest in this far-flung section with its rapidly expanding markets and its outstanding growth potentialities, our company will experience in the immediate years ahead, as they are now visualized, an unprecedented expansion.

"Our immediate task ahead is to render service to all who want it and to restore and to take our service to new heights. As it announced December last, in the immediate five-year period our company will be required to make expenditures for new construction aggregating $400,000,000 and, as a consequence, extraordinary amounts of new capital will be required. The execution and speed of this entire program are dependent upon the flow of available manpower, materials, money and the level of business conditions. The consummation of the program for 1946, now well under way, will require, it is estimated, an all-time high expenditure of upwards of $90,000,000 for new construction. This compares with the $35,800,000 expended in 1945. Inclusive of materials re-used, the gross plant additions for 1946 are estimated at well over $100,000,000. This expenditure will be more than double the 1945 gross plant additions of $48,791,000.

"To do all the things we have in mind will take men, materials and money. Our program will offer employment opportunities to many men and women not only in the manufacture, construction and installation of the added plant, but also in the maintenance and operation of a continuously improving and expanding service. Our vast undertaking will require for its accomplishment earnings that are sufficient to attract the huge sums of new capital needed. Expressing as it does a fundamental significance to every city, town, village and hamlet throughout the Pacific Coast, the consummation of our unprecedented program will result in increasing the plant investment of our company by almost 50 per cent, bringing its total plant investment to an amount aggregating upwards of a billion dollars.

"The era of tremendous expansion that our company has now entered places responsibilities of the first magnitude upon our management. We go forward with a firm faith that a telephone service rendered well will continue to be well received. In our company's following out its established policy—to furnish the best possible service; to render the service as economically as possible; to charge for the service only an amount to keep our company financially vigorous — it is of vital importance that its earnings be such that they will continue to attract the necessary amounts of new capital needed to accomplish these objectives. Earnings that are adequate are in the public interest, because earnings that are less than adequate necessarily jeopardize the efficiency and the scope of the service. Thus, our company and the public it serves have a common interest. In full recognition of that interest, the charges for the service rendered should reflect a fair treatment policy expressed in rates which, at all times, will be such that sound economic considerations will prevail in the interest of all parties—the patrons, the employees and the investors.

"A successful nation is a prosperous nation. In order to increase and to sustain the production which is vital to that prosperity, business and industry must, of necessity, prosper as must their personnel who, through the dedication of individual effort, contribute to the forward march of America. This fundamental concept, the recognition of the dignity and worth of the individual and the value of free enterprise, with equal opportunity for all—the American way of life—has produced the highest standard of living among all peoples. Progress has been the measure of the welfare of our great Nation—it will be the earnest endeavor of our company, as it has been in the past, to render a communication service, which through its scope, efficiency and dependability, will continue to make its full contribution to that progress."

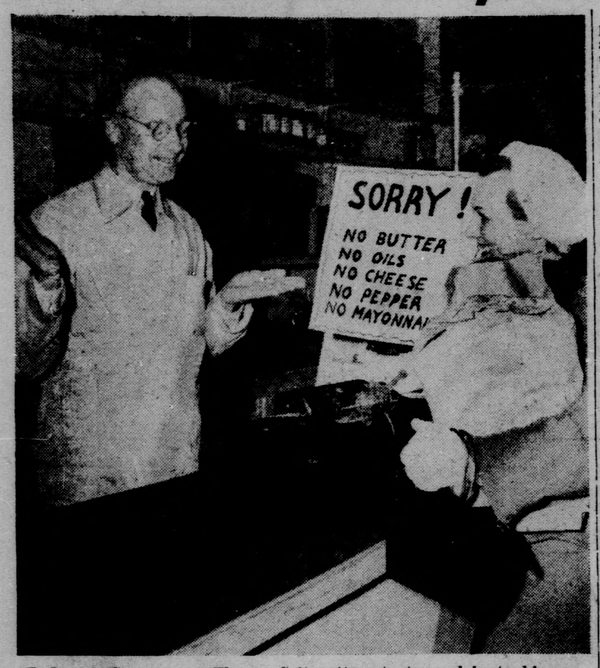
R. R. Bowley
President.

FROM PEACE TO WAR AND FROM WAR TO PEACE

	1939	1945	Increase	Per Cent Increase
Telephones Owned and Operated†	1,948,062	2,702,686	754,624	39
Toll and Long Distance:				
Total Calls	129,190,340	346,892,535	217,702,195	169
Longer haul calls (originating in and destined beyond our territory)	650,570	11,766,999	11,116,429	1709
Plant Investment†	$493,360,850	$678,550,991	$185,190,141	38
Operating Revenues	$122,168,305	$248,870,088	$126,701,783	104
Local Service Revenues	85,703,890	131,179,676	45,475,786	53
Toll Service Revenues	33,156,914	109,735,931	76,579,017	231
Operating Expenses (before taxes)	$ 82,163,244	$167,291,874	$ 85,128,630	104
Operating Taxes	$ 17,579,987	$ 53,364,072	$ 35,784,085	204
Total Payroll‡	$ 56,023,205	$124,689,994	$ 68,666,789	123
Employees†	29,998	51,282	21,284	71
Men	12,091	15,745	3,654	30
Women	17,907	35,537	17,630	98
Income Available for Interest and Return	$ 22,560,834	$ 24,215,173	$ 1,654,339	7
Average Invested Capital	$355,293,069	$412,344,160	$ 57,051,091	16
Return on Invested Capital	6.33%	5.87%	.46%*	7*
Per Common Share:				
Earnings	$7.87	$6.78	$1.09*	14*
Dividends	$7.25	$6.50	$.75*	10*
Taxes	$9.74	$21.68	$11.94	123

†At December 31. ‡Includes construction payroll. *Decrease.

It's Six Months After, but Where Are All Those Easy-to-Get Items?



Redwood City grocer Theron Seitz attempts to explain to his customer, Mrs. Impie Lageson, that all this talk about getting everything you want six months after the war ends was just a bunch of propaganda, as far as he is concerned. —Tribune photo

If you were one of many who predicted a Corncopia "six months after the war," look in vain for more than wishful thinking.

For today, six months after Sept. 2, official V-J Day, the horn of plenty is sans butter, white shirts, cooking oils, tires, cotton yardage, pepper, new automobiles, and other items that wartime pushed onto a "scarce list."

On the brighter side, you will find abundant gasoline for your automobile, providing, of course, the car has held up in its old age and the tires still hold together.

And too, you can buy all the cigarets for which you have the money.

Meat is yours for the asking — no ration points involved! — providing you don't ask for bacon, ham, or other pork products.

But butter? Chances are you'll get it only if you rank high in favor on your grocer's list. You'll need top listing, though; his own family may be staring at an empty butter plate tonight.

If you are a housewife and you recently battled a hundred of your kind over a counter when a limited number of sheets were on sale, you, too, will scoff at the idea of abundance.

If you are a man, there's little need to mention a scarcity of shorts and pajamas and worsteds. In fact, it's literally a big time gambling deal when a fellow bets the white shirt on his back.

Mention an apartment. Half a dozen persons gather around to ask where it is and when it will be vacant.

And nylons!

Need more be said?

Dischargees Get Readjustment Counsel

Andrew Stevenson, a discharged army man, gets advice from Floyd Granger, local counselor for the Veterans Service Office at the court house. Mrs. Florence Donnelly (right) is secretary for the county-supported organization designed to assist dischargees on reconversion problems. —Tribune photo

R.C. Marine Rules Chinese Hotel

A Redwood City marine has been placed in charge of the Imperial Hotel in Tientsin, China, the marine corps announced Monday.

Cpl. George H. Pryor, former bank teller here, supervises the hotel and handles the administrative details as a member of the Marine Corps Special Services. The hotel has been made a focal point of a recreation program which leads that part of the Pacific Theater.

Features include a theater, horseback riding, comfortable lodgings, athletics and radio entertainment. The hotel accommodates 500 men nightly and more than 20,000 marines and sailors have stayed there since it was opened for service personnel early last November.

British-owned, the hotel was taken over by the Japanese a few years ago and once headquartered Japanese high officials when the Jap occupation of Tientsin was at its height.

Corporal Pryor reports that special rooms have been redecorated to include a lounge and recreation room. The charge for service men is 50 cents a night.

Hession to Oppose Ferrell in Primary

Dennis Hession of San Mateo, deputy state attorney general, Monday announced that he will be a candidate for district attorney of San Mateo County in the 1946 elections.

Hession was released from the navy late last year. He entered the service at the start of the war and was in the 12th Naval Dist. naval intelligence office. He also served in the Philippines and at Okinawa.

He was appointed to the attorney general's staff in 1939 by Gov. Earl Warren, then attorney general. Most of his work has been in contested trials before the state's appellate courts.

He was born in Invo County and is a graduate of Sacramento High School, Stanford University and the Hastings Law School. He was admitted to the bar in 1938.

Hession and his wife, Marion, have a 3-year-old son.

The "Irish" potato, a product of South America, reached North America via Europe.

Call Fails to Get Republican Backing

Assemblyman Harrison W. Call of Redwood City, who plans to run for state attorney general, failed to receive the endorsement of the California Republican Assembly, unofficial party organization, at Fresno over the weekend.

The GOP organization recommended Col. Edward Shattuck of Los Angeles for attorney general.

Call and other Republican candidates are expected to have moves made by their friends to break the slate at the annual state convention at San Jose Mar. 30-31 and obtain the organization's endorsement.

The slate recommended yesterday by the group besides the attorney general endorsement is: Governor Warren; U. S. Sen. William F. Knowland; Superior Judge Goodwin Knight, Los Angeles, for lieutenant governor; State Controller Thomas H. Kuchel, State Treas. Charles G. Johnson and Secy. of State Frank M. Jordan.

Quick Recovery Of Stolen Vehicle

Police Officer C. V. Stafford, utilizing a detection system known only to the Redwood City police department, Monday apprehended the driver of a stolen motorcycle before the vehicle was reported to police as stolen.

Nine Candidates Apply For County Election As Filing Opens Here

County Treas. A. H. Sagehorn Wednesday, the opening date for taking out nomination papers for county and state offices spiked rumors that he would seek the post of County Executive in opposition to Frederick Peterson.

Sagehorn, who is in his 11th year as treasurer, will seek re-election to the treasurer's job, he declared this morning.

It has been reported in political circles that political friends of Sagehorn were grooming him for the executive's post. He also was groomed for the position four years ago but he did not file his candidacy. Sagehorn recently resigned as mayor of San Carlos.

Nine persons Wednesday took out nomination papers for county and state offices. They were Edward R. McDonald of Burlingame and Martin A. Poss of San Mateo as supervisors; Peterson for county executive; Ralph MacArthur, tax collector; Fred E. Beer, controller; William H. Augustus, clerk; Roy P. Womack of San Bruno and Leo F. Kaufman of 137 15th Ave., San Mateo, for assembly, and Gus B. Risso, for justice of the peace of Burlingame.

Womack, a Republican, who took out papers for both the Republican and Democratic nominations, is former head of the State Employes Assn. Kaufman, Democrat, also cross filed on both Republican and Democratic tickets. He has been finance officer at the merchant marine cadet school at San Mateo and recently was considered for the job of city manager of San Mateo.

R. J. Dolwig of South San Francisco, a World War II veteran, may enter the race for assembly, it was reported today. He could not be reached this afternoon for confirmation. He is a former law partner of Assemblyman Harrison W. Call of Redwood City, who has announced he will seek the attorney general's post.

Other county officers whose terms expire this year are Recorder T. Clark Rice, Assessor Martin J. Flynn, Supt. of Schools Pansy J. Abbott, Sheriff James J. McGrath, Engineer M. A. Grant, Dist. Atty. Gilbert D. Farrell and Coroner William F. Crosby. Most have indicated they will seek re-election. Dennis Hession of San Mateo, deputy state attorney general, has announced he will be a candidate for district attorney.

Supervisors who do not have to seek re-election this year are Alvin S. Hatch of Half Moon Bay, Thomas L. Hickey of South San Francisco and Henry W. Edmonds of Redwood City.

Edmund Scott, recently appointed as superior court judge, will seek re-election at the June 4 primary. He will have no opposition, since date for filing declaration of intention to seek the post already has passed.

Candidates for all county offices paying salaries of $2500 a year or more must pay a fee of two per cent of one year's salary when they take out nomination papers, with the exception of superior court judge, who must pay one per cent. Candidates for posts paying less than $2500—supervisors and justices of the peace—must pay $10 fees, County Clerk Augustus said.

Final date for filing nomination papers is Mar. 26 at 5 p. m.

Aged Man Tells Of Robbery

A 62-year-old man, identified as Delma Johnson, 1672 Carmel Ave., San Francisco, was admitted to Community Hospital Monday suffering from shock after having been found in the ocean near Half Moon Bay.

Johnson told hospital attendants that he had picked up two hitchhiking sailors in San Francisco. A few minutes after he had given them a ride in his car, they robbed him of $200 and a watch, he said. He was unable to say what had happened after that until he was found this morning on the beach.

Democrats Open Drive For Offices

Three ex-Stanfordites Tuesday teed off in the 1946 Democratic political curtain-raiser.

Atty. Gen. Robert W. Kenny took to the air to announce his candidacy against Gov. Earl Warren at the June 4 primary; Charles H. McDonald officially launched his campaign for congressman in the Eighth Congressional Dist., with Will Rogers Jr., candidate for the U.S. Senate, appearing in support of McDonald.

Keynote of the Kenny and McDonald addresses was the "reactionary" position of their respective opponents.

The 45-year-old Kenny asked voters to choose him over Republican Governor Warren and called Warren's program "old fashioned, reactionary Republican blindness."

Attorney McDonald pointed to the "consistently reactionary record" of his Republican opponent, Congressman Jack Z. Anderson.

"He has a very poor record," Mr. McDonald declared at a meeting of the Palo Alto Democratic Club Tuesday at Grace & Pierre's restaurant. "He voted against lend lease when war was imminent . . . he has consistently opposed price control . . . he has not attempted to help the farmers . . . he has consistently voted against farm subsidies . . . he has been against the Central Valleys water project . . . he has a reactionary labor record."

Mr. Rogers, who spoke in the Palo Alto High School auditorium Thiursday at 8 p.m. on a program sponsored by the Palo Alto-Stanford American Veterans Committee, told the Democrats who jammed to overflow the main dining room at the Atherton restaurant that "It's not that Congress is indifferent, but that we elect the wrong men to Congress."

In addition to his direct campaign against the "reactionary" position of Mr. Anderson, Mr. McDonald said he would campaign on an 11-point program which includes veterans, housing, business, farmers, social security, health, public projects and others.

Thomas H. Barclay, Stanford political science professor, was toastmaster at the McDonald dinner, and Jack Shelley, candidate for lieutenant governor, also spoke.

TO DISCUSS BOND ISSUE

Dr. James Thornton will discuss the $1,500,000 Sequoia High School Dist. bond issue at a public meeting in San Carlos, Tuesday, Mar. 12 at 8 p.m. in the city hall. The issue will be voted upon in the district Mar. 19.

PUBLIC NOTICE

Norman A. Eisner, Atty.
NOTICE OF TIME APPOINTED FOR PROBATE OF WILL—No. 12851
IN THE SUPERIOR COURT OF the State of California, in and for the County of San Mateo.

In the Matter of the Estate of Arthur M. Paulson, Deceased.

Notice is hereby given that Monday, the 25th day of March, A. D. 1946, at 10 o'clock a.m. of that day, and the Court Room—Probate Department No. 2 of said Court, at the Court House in Redwood City, in the County of San Mateo, State of California, have been appointed as the time and place for proving the will of Arthur M. Paulson, deceased, and for hearing the application of Emma H. Paulson for the issuance to her of Letters Testamentary thereon. Reference to said petition is hereby made for further particulars.

(SEAL) W. H. Augustus, Clerk; by Lydia Ricci, Deputy Clerk.

Norman A. Eisner, 1071 Mills Bldg., San Francisco, Calif., Attorney for Petitioner.

Dated February 25, A. D. 1946.

(Endorsed) Filed Feb. 25, 1946. W. H. Augustus, Clerk; by Lydia Ricci, Deputy Clerk.

Mar. 1, 8, 15, 1946

R. L. Husted, Atty.
NOTICE OF TIME APPOINTED FOR PROBATE OF WILL—No. 12874
IN THE SUPERIOR COURT OF the State of California, in and for the County of San Mateo.

In the Matter of the Estate of Matilda J. W. Hall, formerly Matilda J. W. Schimmelpfennig, Deceased.

Notice is hereby given that Monday, the 25th day of March, A. D. 1946, at 10 o'clock a.m. of that day, and the Court Room—Probate Department No. 1 of said Court, at the Court House in Redwood City, in the County of San Mateo, State of California, have been appointed as the time and place for proving the will of Matilda J. W. Hall, formerly Matilda J. W. Schimmelpfennig, deceased, and for hearing the application of Edna Schimmelpfennig for the issuance to her of Letters Testamentary thereon. Reference to said petition is hereby made for further particulars.

(SEAL) W. H. Augustus, Clerk; by Mura B. Stilleson, Deputy Clerk.

R. L. Husted, 2595 Mission St. San Francisco, 10, Calif., Attorney for Petitioner.

Dated March 4th, A. D. 1946.

(Endorsed) Filed Mar. 4, 1946. W. H. Augustus, Clerk; by Mura B. Stilleson, Deputy Clerk.

Mar. 8, 15, 22, 1946

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SLICED PINEAPPLE	Dole, Hawaiian. No. 2½ can		23¢
PINEAPPLE JUICE	Dole, Hawaiian. No. 2 Can		12¢
PINEAPPLE JUICE	Dole, Hawaiian. 46-oz. Can..		29¢
GRAPEFRUIT	Segments Florida Gold. No. 2 Can		25¢
GRAPEFRUIT JUICE	Unsweetened, Florida Gold. .....No. 2 Can		13¢
GRAPEFRUIT JUICE	Unsweetened Florida Gold, ...46-oz. Can		31¢
BLENDED JUICE	Unsweetened Florida Gold. .....No. 2 Can		17¢
SALAD DRESSING	Miracle Whip. 8-oz. Jar		15¢
BLACKBERRIES	Fancy. Lady Lee. .....No. 2 Can		27¢
SARDINES	Sea Mist. In tomato sauce. .....8-oz. Can		12¢
PORK TONGUE	Cudahy's cooked. .....6-oz. Can		21¢
Corned Beef HASH	Kingan's. 16-oz. Can		21¢
MINCED CLAMS	Sandy Point 7-oz Can.....		29¢
FISH FLAKES	Massachusettes Bay. 14-oz. Can.....		43¢
BUTTER BEANS	Seaside, No. 2 Can.....		12¢
ASPARAGUS	Libby's California, No. 2 Can.....		31¢
CORN	Lady Lee whole kernel Golden Vacuum pack, 12-oz. Can.....		13¢
CORN	Lady Lee Cream style Golden, No. 2 Can.....		12¢
PEAS	Lady Lee Sweet variety.....No. 2 Can		12¢
TOMATO JUICE	Lady Lee No. 2 Can	2 CANS	19¢
GREEN BEANS	CUT. Lady Lee No. 2 Can.....		13¢
SPINACH	FANCY. Lady Lee No. 2½ Can.....		16¢
TOMATOES	Lady Lee No. 2½ Can.....		14¢

Prices Effective Friday and Saturday, March 8th and 9th
All advertised items, including produce, subject to stock on hand and price changes made necessary by market fluctuations or new regulations from OPA.

BURNETT'S VANILLA 1-oz. Bottle 20¢

SAVE WORK SAVE TIME SAVE SOAP 14-oz. Package 25¢

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Thin skin, Fine for spread. lb. 25¢

CAULIFLOWER	Snow white heads.....	lb.	9¢
LETTUCE	Crisp Solid Heads.....	lb.	10¢
BROCCOLI	Young Tender Heads.....	lb.	19¢
ORANGES	Sweet Juicy Navels.....	5 lbs.	39¢
CELERY	Crisp, tender hearts.....	bunch of 3	27¢
GRAPEFRUIT	Arizona Desert Grown.....	3 lbs.	14¢
CARROTS	Imperial Valley. Large bunches.....	bunch	7½¢
RUTABAGAS	U. S. No. 1.....	lb.	5¢
SPINACH	Clean, hand picked. Tender.....	2 lbs.	19¢

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FRANKFURTERS	Skinless. Type 2.....	lb.	37¢
LUNCHEON MEAT	Spiced	½-lb. Pkg.	25¢
LINK SAUSAGE	Dubuque Pure Eastern Pork. Type 1 H. C.	lb.	44¢
SALAMI	Dubuque Cooked.....	lb.	47¢

Heinz STRAINED FOODS 14 KINDS 4½-oz. Cans 7¢

D & A PURE HOMOGENIZED ORANGE JUICE *Delivered Daily by Refrigerated Truck* Rich in Vitamin C. Pt. 29¢

CAMAY *The Soap of Beautiful Women* 3 Bars 20¢

NEW IMPROVED LUX FLAKES Large Pkg.... 23¢

GAMBLING PROBE HALTED BY ACTION: REPORT SAYS

A lengthy 14-page report from the San Mateo County Grand Jury Monday hit at the district attorney and county health department as Judge A. R. Cotton dismissed the jurors with "I've enjoyed working with you." The report, presented by Foreman Glen O. Smallcomb, declared the grand jurors were interrupted in the midst of their gambling investigation by the dismissal.

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"The entire grand jury is shocked by the sudden decision and regrets the reasons for the unexpected action were considered by Judge Cotton to be of sufficient importance to justify the discharge prior to consumation of our important assignment," the report said.

"The grand jurors scored Dist. Atty. Gilbert D. Ferrell for his lack of co-operation in the investigation of gambling, and told of a meeting with the district attorney's office last year shortly after the jurors were impaneled.

The district attorney said he seldom saw fit to interfere with law enforcement phases in the cities and counties, the report stated, and inferred that his re-election has been assumed as an endorsement of his activity.

Farrell did not obtain evidence from the Emig trial in Santa Clara County as had been requested by the jurors here in their gambling investigation, it said.

The report criticized handling of health department funds, and suggested the Board of Supervisors enact an ordinance to set up a patient billing procedure for the county hospital.

System of recording accounts in the health department was termed "very unsatisfactory."

"The rental of county property is very unsatisfactory," the report stated, further pointing out that the rental of the Community Hospital annex to Mills Hospital and the leasing of Coyote Point land by the county executive was done without ratification by the board of supervisors.

The jury recommended that any and all property shall be rented only through action of the County Board of Supervisors.

The grand jurors, who were impaneled last July, were dismissed shortly after 1:30 p.m. today, in formal ceremonies held in superior court chambers.

Sarto Hits Peterson's Health Dept.'Meddling'

Joseph Sarto, chairman of the San Mateo County Grand Jury's Health and Welfare Committee, which was dismissed Monday afternoon, charged that meddling by County Executive Frederick Peterson into the county's health setup is not only costing the county money, but is jeopardizing the health of those forced to look to the county for hospitalization.

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Sarto declared he would be remiss in his duties if he failed to acquaint the people of the county with conditions as he found them as chairman of the jury committee.

Peterson's meddling and antagonistic attitude toward the conduct and operation of Canyon Sanatorium, Sarto declared, "present a real threat to its proper conduct, with the result that patients become mere political footballs in the executive's long-standing feud with the county health director (Dr. Charles C. Gans)."

"From the very beginning," Sarto said, "the county executive was opposed to the purchase of Canyon Sanatorium by the county and since that time has used every stumbling block at his disposat to hamper the institution's proper operation and conduct, despite the tact that U. S. public health authorities have very pointedly declared the place an ideal setup for the treatment and care of tubercular patients, provided its facilities were modernized and improved by the county.

"Dr. Waldo R. Oechsli, acting chief of the bureau of tuberculosis for the State of California, in commenting on Canyon Sanatorium just a few months ago said: 'A desirable location for a sanatorium is one near a larger center of population, in as pleasant and protected surroundings as it is possible to secure. I feel that the location of Canyon Sanatorium is admirable from every standpoint.'

"It is near enough to Redwood City to afford easy transportation for medical consultants, as well as visitors and service vehicles. . . .

"San Mateo County has Canyon Sanatorium, but the 'proper development of facilities' as Dr. Oechsli put it, is where the rub comes. Because the county acquired the sanatorium in spite of his objections, it appears that the county executive is giving vent to his disapproval by refusal to see that facilities for the institution are properly developed.

"At the present time Canyon Sanatorium is handling all the patients its facilities can provide for, and it would not be possible to care for but few if any new cases. Consequently, unless new cases are able to afford private care and hospitalization, they remain at large in the county with the very decided tendency to spread the infection to those with whom they come into contact.

"Most of these people are not able to afford private care, and the county is not able to care for them because the county executive has blocked development of Canyon Sanatorium. . . .

"It was found in addition to this tragic condition, aged and indigent old people being housed in the attic and basement of the County Relief Home, places absolutely unfit for such habitation and contrary to law. It was found the county-owned pavilion at Community Hospital being rented out to private interests for the measly pittance of $100 a month. It was found more than $100,000 is due the county from various citizens treated at Community Hospital and charged according to their ability to pay. Despite the fact that this sum is delinquent, it appears little effort has been made to collect it.

"The county executive has always led the people of the county to believe he is the champion of the so-called common people and the underdog. With conditions like these existing in county institutions for which he is responsible, I think the people might well ask whether his great concern for their welfare ends after they have cast their votes on his behalf.

"It is regrettable that a layman, untrained and uninformed upon the important matters of public health, is permitted to continue in a high county office having jurisdiction over such vital matters of public welfare."

Peterson Denies Charge

County Executive Frederick Peterson Monday scoffed at Joseph Sarto's vitriolic statement that alleged Peterson had obstructed development of Canyon Sanatorium. In a statement to the Tribune, Peterson said:

"Mr. Sarto brought these matters up when I appeared before the grand jury not long ago.

"All of them were discussed and explained to the complete satisfaction of the grand jury at that time.

"Today's outburst seems to be a purely personal thrust."

New Civil Service Salary Scale Study

Results of a salary and reclassification study by the county civil service commission, which when adopted will represent an increase of about 4 per cent in salaries to county employes for the coming year, were made public Tuesday by the commission.

The study, which was directed by the county charter, institutes a merit system of promotion and eliminated a temporary $20 a month cost-of-living-bonus as well as setting up a complete new salary list. Individual county salaries will mostly be higher, although a few are lower, the commission's announcement stated.

The commission is composed of Albert H. Randall, chairman, Burlingame; A. J. Gaggero, vice chairman, Daly City; William Wilson of Half Moon Bay, Lt. Col. Joseph Connolly, Menlo Park, and George N. Keystone, San Mateo.

"The commission," said Randall, "is firmly convinced that this increase (4 per cent) together with changes made from year to year since the advent of civil service in 1943, places the salary and wage rate of county employes very closely in line with comparable scales for similar work in this and other communities, and, it is believed, fully reflects, on the average, the rise in the cost of living."

Salary rates provided in the commission's salary list cover more than 500 positions. Only employes not included are the 24 county officials who are elected by ballot and 22 employes who are exempted from civil service by the charter.

Police Officer Plays Cupid

Along with hunting down thieves and robbers, patrolling city streets and occasionally digging up a murderer, the Redwood City police force also plays cupid.

Police Lt. S. D. Wood said recently that on request of a soldier stationed overseas, an officer looked up a young woman in the city, obtained her address and telephone number and permission to send them to the lonesome GI. The service man, Wood said, had evidently lost the information and was anxious to re-establish liason. Police have performed similar chores in the past, the lieutenant said.

Exchange Defers Action on Bonds

Three Sequoia High School students addressed the Redwood City Exchange Club Tuesday in an appeal for support of the $1,500,000 bond issue to be voted upon Mar. 19. A motion for club endorsement of the issue was withdrawn after objection and referred to the board of control.

The student speakers were John Ward, Dorothy Fitzmaurice and George Terhune, who spoke on the need, the building program and the financial aspects of the plan. They were accompanied by Supt. A. C. Argo.

Chairman of the meeting was Harvey Conner.

Warn Against 'Phony' Peddlers

E. W. (Ned) Butler, Redwood City Chamber of Commerce manager, Tuesday warned that phony peddlers were loose within the city limits.

He said that the latest dodge is for phonys to appear as deaf persons collecting contributions. The California Assn. of the Deaf, he continued, has marked many such appearances and has characterized them as a "slur on the reputation" of those actually deaf.

The association warns that often phonys appear in places of amusement, distributing cards and collecting whatever the public contributes.

Safety Group Hits Martin Routing Plan

The Redwood City Traffic Safety Committee Tuesday rebuffed a traffic routing plan presented by the Martin Transportation Co.

The committee, of which John Nordstrand is chairman, said the plan was a greater asset to the bus company than to city safety. This opinion was made in a recommendation to the city council which will be presented at the next regular council session.

The plan was worked out for the company by A. A. Glickman, traffic consultant, and called for the rerouting of traffic around the Southern Pacific Co. station so that buses may call at the station for commuters.

The committee agreed with Glickman that the present system whereby commuters must cross Broadway to reach bus stops is not a safe one, and recommended to council that temporarily bus stops be made on James Ave. and Winklebleck St. Glickman's survey had offered the rerouting instead of such a move.

One part of the company plan which the committee objected to called for the re-routing of traffic so that it will enter Broadway on a one way street adjacent to railroad tracks. At present traffic is routed one way so that it will leave Broadway on this street. The committee held that the present plan was more safe than the proposed change.

The committee recommended that major changes be postponed until a city master plan can be drawn. The committee said it needed more expert advice on traffic engineering and that it would have this when such an expert is appointed to draw the master plan.

The committee also considered a Martin proposed plan for 40-foot loading areas at each Broadway intersection. The committee decided that although there was merit in the plan, it called for too many loading areas. The plan calls for buses to pull into loading areas after they pass intersections rather than before they cross as they now do. The committee recommended that this plan also be studied by a master plan expert in conjunction with the committee and a company representative.

The committee, in closing, went on record as favoring the appointment of a police officer to serve with the school safety patrols.

TEACHERS EXAM MAY 18

A teachers' examination on the constitution for those who must qualify for renewal of credentials will be given at the Central School May 18 at 9:30 a.m., County Supt of Schools Pansy J. Abbott announced Monday.

Atherton Woman First To Make Paris Flight

Mrs. Edward Eyre of 157 Atherton Ave., Atherton, wife of Edward L. Eyre, widely known San Francisco investment broker, will fly to Paris via Transcontinental & Western Air, Inc., Friday.

Two Burglaries In Woodside

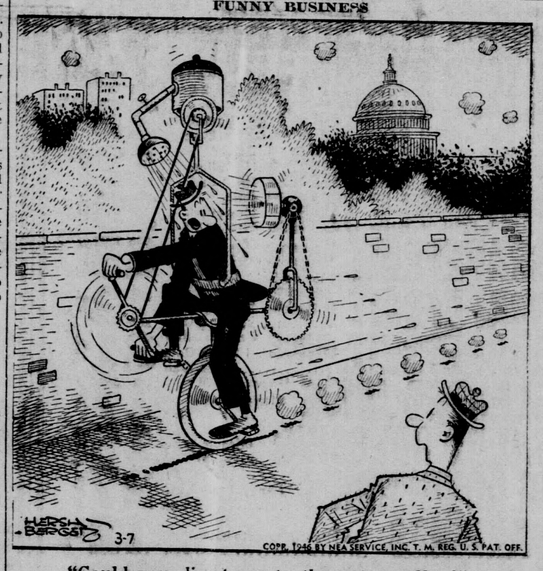
A burglar who entered two Woodside homes during the weekend looted the Oscar Ostlund residence at 824 Mountain Home Rd. of more than $1000 worth of jewelry, reports at the sheriff's office disclosed Monday.

Mrs. Hilda Ostlund told deputies a diamond and sapphire-studded wristwatch, a gold wristwatch, a diamond and sapphire dinner ring, a jade ring, medallion, cameo and necklace were missing.

Deputies reported three rooms had been ransacked by the burglar who gained entry by bending a sash fastener with a screw driver.

In the adjacent home of Mrs. Rosette DeBenetti, widow of a Coastside artichoke king, two pints of whisky and $4 in currency were taken by a burglar who was heard in a hall by Mrs. DeBenetti shortly after 4 a.m. Saturday morning.

FUNNY BUSINESS



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13 Ascended
14 Salt of oleic acid
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22 Island (Fr.)
23 Indian timber tree
24 Vigor
25 Czar
28 Fish sauce
30 Italian river
31 Music note
32 Tardy
34 Mass of ice
37 Mover's truck
38 Mountain
40 Belongs to it
41 Deliberate
47 Contend
48 Ocean
49 Trying experience
50 Girl's name
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2 Biblical mountain
3 Horsemen
4 Bone
5 Smaller quantity
6 Grafted (her.)
7 Dangle
8 On the sheltered side
9 Compass point
10 Removable
11 Style of type
12 Sudanese Negroids
17 Near
18 Pint (ab.)
26 She is an —— actress
27 Fish eggs
28 Vestment
29 New Guinea port
32 Dormant
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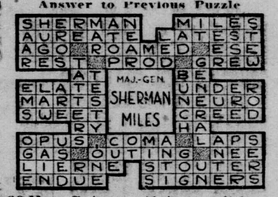

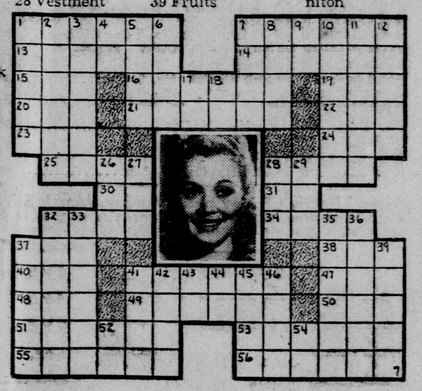

OUR BOARDING HOUSE . . . . . With Major Hoople

MY WORD, SPORT! AM I-I C-C-CORRECT IN ASSUMING THAT CREATURE IS A PET OF YOURS? — GOOD HEAVENS! I'M PERSPIRING FROM TOP TO TOE — AND MY GOLT! IT HAS VANISHED LIKE FOG IN SUNLIGHT!
HEH-HEH! FER A BLOKE WIT' GOUT YOU'RE AS SPRY AS AN ACROBAT WITH THE ITCH! — YOU MUSTA THOUGHT PETEY WAS A MAN-EATIN' TIGER, TH' WAY YOU ZOOMED UP ON THAT TABLE LIKE A JET PLANE — AN' WHAT WAS YOU SAYIN' ABOUT BATTLIN' A PAIR O' FIERCE RHINOS BARE-FISTED?
THAT-HEROIC TALE WILL HAVE TO WAIT=
3-7

GOOD GOSH! EVERY HOUSE NEARLY EXACKLY ALIKE! I'D GIT SICK AN' TIRED OF THAT IN A WEEK!
WELL, THERE'S CERTAINLY NOTHING TO ENVY TH' GUY NEXT DOOR, AND NOTHING TO ADMIRE HIM FOR, IS THERE?
IN BUILDIN' UP TH' IDEAL STATE, THERE'S LEADERS WHO WILL BOTCH IT-- THEY'D MAKE TH' HULL TOWN JOIN TH' PARADE AND LEAVE NO ONE TO WATCH IT!
J.R.WILLIAMS
3-7
THE THOUGHTLESS THINKERS

RED RYDER

WELL. YOU'VE FIGURED FROM THEM TRACKS THE ICE HAS MOVED 18 INCHES IN ONE DAY! WHAT GOOD IS IT?
FIGURE IT OUT SHERIFF!
THAT'S 10½ FEET A WEEK OR 546 FEET A YEAR! LEFTY HID SOME ROBBERY LOOT IN THE ICE HERE 10 YEARS AGO AN' NOW IT'S OVER A MILE DOWN TH' MORAINE!
3-7

WHY, THAT PUTS IT RIGHT AT THE END OF TH' GLACIER!
RIGHT!
COME ON! WE'RE GOIN' TO GET IT AN' SOLVE A MURDER!
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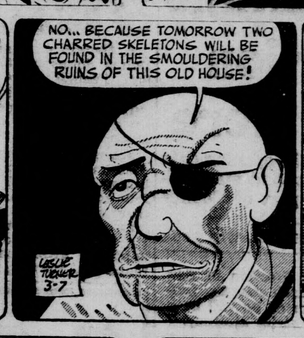
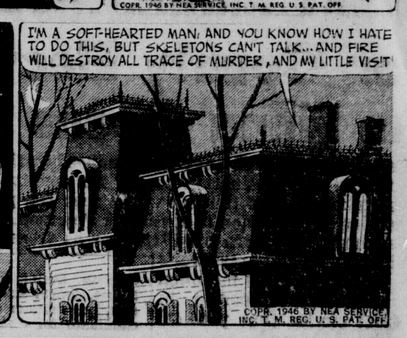
WASH TUBBS

VALK AND I LEAVE HERE TONIGHT... IN THREE DAYS WE BOARD A SHIP THAT WILL CARRY ME TO FREEDOM, PROVIDED NO NEW SEARCH FOR ME IS STARTED!
YOU'RE AFRAID MR. BLEEKE AND I WILL SPREAD THE ALARM AS SOON AS YOU LEAVE!
LESLIE TURNER 3-7




I'M A SOFT-HEARTED MAN, AND YOU KNOW HOW I HATE TO DO THIS, BUT SKELETONS CAN'T TALK... AND FIRE WILL DESTROY ALL TRACE OF MURDER, AND MY LITTLE VISIT
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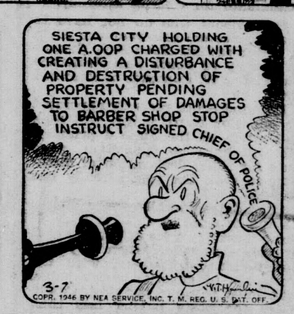
ALLEY OOP


SIESTA CITY HOLDING ONE A.OOP CHARGED WITH CREATING A DISTURBANCE AND DESTRUCTION OF PROPERTY PENDING SETTLEMENT OF DAMAGES TO BARBER SHOP STOP INSTRUCT SIGNED CHIEF OF POLICE
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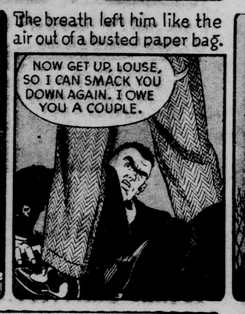
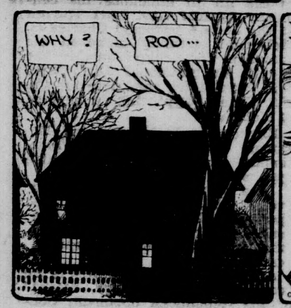
VIC FLINT



BOOTS AND HER BUDDIES



FRECKLES AND HIS FRIENDS

BEIN' SORRY AIN'T ENOUGH, PAL! I'VE GOT A REPUTATION TO MAINTAIN IN THIS NEIGHBORHOOD! FOR A BUCK I WAS WILLING TO LET JUNIOR THINK HE COULD LICK ME, BUT HE'S GETTIN' BATTLE-HAPPY!

FORGET IT--- HERE'S ANOTHER DOLLAR!
OKAY, BUT THAT KID IS GONNA PUNCH YOUR WAY INTO THE POORHOUSE!
$1
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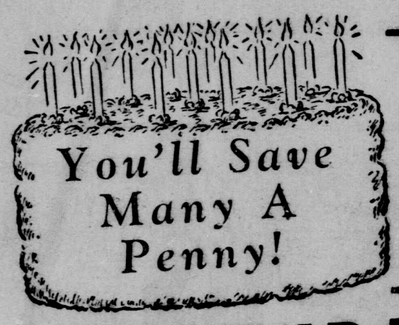

21ST BIRTHDAY SALE!

A BIRTHDAY FOR US MEANS EXTRA SAVINGS FOR YOU!

ON THE EVE OF OUR 21st BIRTHDAY WE WANT TO TAKE THIS OPPORTUNITY TO THANK ALL OF OUR CUSTOMERS, OLD AND NEW, FOR THE PATRONAGE WHICH HAS MADE PURITY SUCH A SUCCESS. WE ARE SINCERE IN OUR THANKS AND TO PROVE IT WE ARE OFFERING A MULTITUDE OF BIRTHDAY VALUES.

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Sugar Corn — Iowa Club Brand, Rich Cream Style. Quick Supplement to Any Meal. 2 No. 2 Tins 23¢

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Glen Maid Milk — EVAPORATED 2 TALL TINS 15¢

Dried Prunes — Thrift Brand. Stew up a Few for Breakfast or How About a Prune Cake for the Family. 2-lb. Pkg. 23¢

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Libby's GENTLE PRESS **TOMATO JUICE** — No. 2 Tin..... 9¢ 47-oz. Tin..... 19¢

Pure Vanilla—No Sherbet! MEADOW GOLD **ICE CREAM** Pint....20¢ Quart..39¢

DELICIOUS WITH SIFER'S **CHOCOLATE SYRUP** 20-oz. Jar 27¢

MALTED MILK	PLAIN CARNATION	1-lb. Jar	39¢
TREE TEA	BLACK	¼-lb. Pkg. 23¢	½-Lb. Pkg. 45¢
CRANBERRIES	OCEAN SPRAY DEHYDRATED		Pkg. 13¢
PRUNE JUICE	SUNSWEET		Quart Bottle 24¢
MATCHES	Ohio Red or Economy	6 large boxes	23¢

Fontana's **Macaroni Spaghetti** All Types 3 PACKAGES 25¢

BETTY LOU **Shoestring POTATOES** — While they Last, Pkg. 10¢

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GRAPEFRUIT — EXTRA SWEET ARIZONA ALL SIZES 4 lbs. 15¢

LARGE SNOWBALL **Cauliflower** lb. 7½¢

LARGE CALIFORNIA WONDER **Bell Peppers** lb. 19¢

NEW CROP—ITALIAN **Squash** 2 lbs. 29¢

LARGE 30 SIZE **Avocados** 2 for 25¢

MEDIUM SIZE—VERY JUICY **Oranges** 8 lb. sack 55¢

FANCY MEXICAN **Tomatoes** lb. 19¢

ICE PACKED SHORT CUT **Broccoli** 2 lbs. 29¢

NORTHWESTERN DELICIOUS **Apples** lb. 13¢

Canned Fruits

APRICOTS	F & P HALVES	No. 2½ tin	25¢
APRICOTS	YOSEMITE HALVES	No. 2½ tin	22¢
FIGS	TRE-RIPE KADOTA	No. 2½ tin	21¢
PLUMS	F & P GREEN GAGE	No. 2½ Jar	23¢
PRUNES	DEL MONTE PREPARED	No. 2½ Jar	22¢
FRUIT MIX	F & P BRAND	No. 2½	27¢
FRUIT COCKTAIL	LIBBY'S	No 2½	29¢

Winner Brand No. 2 Tin..... 10¢

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Purity always offers the best grades of meat at the lowest possible prices.

TYPE 2 — A. C. **PORK SAUSAGE ROLLS** lb. 35¢

MEDIUM SIZE — GRADE A **FRICASSEE FOWL** lb. 34¢

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SQUARE CUT — GRADE AA & A **SHOULDER LAMB ROAST** lb. 33¢

Rib Lamb Chops or Lamb Roast Grade AA & A lb. 43¢

LAMB CUTS FOR BRAISING Fresh Cut Neck & Breast Grade AA & A lb. 12¢

Libby's **BABY FOOD** — Accepted by the Council on Foods of The American Medical Association.

Most Varieties 3 Tins 20¢

MAINE **MUSSELS** — Ray Brand Use Like Oysters 11-oz. Tin 24¢

HOT SAUCE — Nation's Pride 8-oz. Tin..... 5¢

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Sequoia Enrollment Today Far Exceeds Original Plans

BY DR. JAMES THORNTON
Research Director,
Sequoia Union High School

When the present building at Sequoia High School was opened in January, 1924, Superintendent Argo pointed out today, there were 438 students in attendance. From that time until this, there has been a steady growth to four times that size. At present, 1957 students are registered at Sequoia, in buildings planned to care for only 1600 students.

This overcrowding is felt in all parts of the school. Two shop courses are housed in a former bus garage; boys use the lobby of the gymnasium for dressing-rooms. Eleven teachers have no rooms of their own, and so must carry books, papers, and records from one room to another all day. Under these conditions, adequate use of blackboards and many of the modern aids to good teaching becomes impossible. Some counselors must hold their counseling interviews in the library — a practice which both the librarians and the counselors dislike.

If space were available, an auto shop program could be established now as well as two apprentice training courses which have been requested by industry.

Beyond the present conditions, however, lies the fact that the district faces an unprecedented growth in the next few years. It took six years to move from 438 to 929 students; it took fourteen more to double from 929 to 1826; but best estimates available indicate that the doubling from 1826 (in 1944-45) to 3700 will be accomplished within eight to ten years: that is, before 1954.

Where can all these students come from? Part of them are here already — enrolled in the grades of the elementary schools of the district. There are 508 eighth grade students in the district; there are 825 first graders. By the time those first graders reach high school, in 1953, the high school population will be 60 per cent greater than it now is — just because of children now living and attending school in the district.

Even that will not be the end of the problem. Children now in the first grade were born in 1939. Since that time there has been a steady rise in the birthrate, which will continue for at least two years. This fact indicates a continued growth in high school population at least until 1960 — and these predictions are based on population already living in the district.

Add to this growth the fact that all indications point to a rapid influx of new people into the district. A most conservative estimate predicts a population of 70,000 people by 1950 (compared to about 60,000 now), and at least 80,000 by 1953. Planning experts expect at least 112,000 population in the district by 1960, and 160,000 by 1970. This latter figure would mean at least 6400 high school students in that year.

The plans of the board of trustees of the high school district have been worked out with two major problems in mind: First, to take care of children who are on their way to high school now; second, to be ready for the predicted growth if it comes, while avoiding waste if it does not come so rapidly.

With these considerations in mind, they have presented to the voters a bond issue of $1,500,000, to care for the present overcrowding of Sequoia, and to provide the first units of new schools demanded by the numbers of children now in the elementary schools. If new population does not move in, the new schools can be expanded shortly to meet the peak load expected on the basis of present birthrate. If the new population does move in, no matter how rapidly, the proposed buildings are so planned as to allow for rapid and economical expansion.

In summary, the buildings provided for in the bond issue to be approved Mar. 19 will be needed very soon by children now in the district. If the population increases as seems indicated, the capacity of these buildings can be increased to meet the need as it arises.

William Farnsworth Promoted to Sergeant

William Y. Farnsworth of Redwood City has been promoted to sergeant at his base in Naples, Italy, the army announced today. He is serving as a radio and teletype operator with the army airways communication system.

Farnsworth entered the army on Feb. 26, 1944, and left for overseas Mar. 1, 1945. He attended the Scott Field radio operators' school from May, 1944, to November, 1944, and was a student at Sequoia High School before entering the army.

Plan $10,000,000 Housing Project

Plans for development of a $10,000,000 residential subdivision on a 138-acre tract west of El Camino Real and north of Millbrae Highlands were announced Monday.

The property was involved in a $250,000 transaction, according to William F. Michel, former secretary to County Executive Frederick Peterson and now with Pen Realty Co. in San Mateo.

Plans call for construction of 700 homes to sell for $10,000 and under. Veterans will be given preference, Michel said.

The property first was sold by Robert L. Coleman Jr. to Lewis M. Norton of San Francisco, who in turn sold the property to Max Schmidt, developer and contractor, and Theodore Loy, his partner, and their wives.

The transaction was part of a trade which involved two business properties on Grant Ave. and Market St. in San Francisco totaling half a million dollars.

Deeds recording the transactions were filed at request of San Mateo County Title Co.

Recreation Group Asks Port Aid

Chmn. Elmer K. Ross of the Redwood City Recreation Commission appeared before the Board of Port Commissioners Tuesday to request a survey of possible buildings at the port which might be converted to use by youth organizations.

Port Mgr. A. A. Moran said he would study the request for the port commissioners who pledged co-operation to the proposal.

The recreation commissioners are seeking a structure that might be moved to a Redwood City site for use by girls' and boys' club.

Nine Motorists Get Free 'Tickets'

Redwood City police cited nine persons Tuesday on charges of illegal parking and one person on a charge of failure to give proper signals before turning. Cited on the signals charge was August Dannenberg, 429 Mastick Ave., San Bruno.

Those cited for illegal parking were:

Gene A. Allen, 1341 Jefferson Ave.; C. Jacobsen, 712 Santa Cruz Ave., Menlo Park; Alvin S. Hatch, Half Moon Bay; R. L. Flood, 2317 Broadway; Lavilla L. Heane, 62? 15th Ave., Atherton.

Five Drivers Cited By R.C. Police

Redwood City police cited five drivers over the weekend on charges of violation of vehicle codes. Those cited:

Speeding—Theodore Hunter, 3654 Page St.; William J. Garcia, 431 Munich St., San Francisco; LeRoy T. Mason, 2813 Hillside, Burlingame.

Failure to stop for stop signal—Anthony Springola, 2159 Filbert St., San Francisco.

Failure to stop for arterial highway—Arthur Levinson, Tyler Hall, Stanford University.

Valota Housing Project Planned

John McCarthy, Redwood City builder and port commissioner, recently announced plans for $210,000 one-block low-cost home subdivision to help solve Redwood City's critical need for homes for veterans.

McCarthy has acquired title to property on Valota Rd. 500 feet north of Woodside Rd. and has called for bids for street work.

The new subdivision will contain 26 homes, to be occupied exclusively by veterans.

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Soup Mix Continental Noodle—Lipton's—Package 3 for 25¢

Tomato Juice Sunny Dawn No. 2 Can 3 for 25¢ 46-oz. 19¢

SNO WHITE SALT Plain or Iodized—26-oz. Carton 7¢
BABBITS CLEANSER 13-oz. Can 5 for 19¢
TOMATO SAUCE Hunt's—8-oz. Can 3 for 10¢

Grapefruit Juice Florida Gold—Sweetened No. 2 Can 2 for 25¢ 46-oz. Can 27¢

Cocktail Here's Health—Vegetable Juice No. 2 Can 2 for 25¢

POP CORN Georgie Porgie, Crisp-E-Yellow or Rustic Glen 10-oz. Can 2 for 25¢

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ARIZONA GRAPEFRUIT	Desert Fruit, Sweet and Juicy	5 Lbs. 19¢
FANCY RHUBARB	Hot House—A Seasonal Treat—Lb.	22¢
PIPPIN APPLES	California—An All-Round-Favorite—Lb.	11¢
RUSSET POTATOES	U. S. No. 1	10 Lbs. 45¢
FANCY CARROTS	Fine Quality, Tops Off—Lb.	6¢
CHOICE CABBAGE	Solid Round Heads	2 Lbs. 15¢

Prices, including produce, subject to stock on hand and price changes made necessary by market fluctuations or new regulations from OPA

LENTEN VALUES

Dinners	Kraft—7½-oz. Package	2 for 19¢
Dinners	Italian—Superio—Package	23¢
Rice Dinner	Univ. Creole—4-oz.	4 for 29¢
Raviolis	Riviera Veg.—16-oz.	2 for 25¢
Rice	Water Maid, White—1-lb. Carton	11¢
Rice	M.J.B., White—2-lb. Ctn.	23¢
Macaroni	or Spaghetti—G. G.—16-oz.	15¢
Macaroni	or Spaghetti—A. B.—32-oz.	25¢
Egg Noodles	Fischer's, M. or W.—12-oz.	15¢
Eggs	Breakfast Gem, Large, Gr. A—Doz.	49¢
Eggs	Breakfast Gem, Med., Gr. A—Doz.	45¢
Soup	Ch. N.—Campbell—10½-oz.	2 for 29¢
Soup	Vegetable—Rancho—22-oz. Can	13¢
Flour	Buckwheat—Aunt Jemima—20-oz.	17¢

Tay Cleaner "All Purpose"—28-oz. Pkg. 25¢

Woodbury Soap Facial—Regular Bar 3 for 23¢

Lux Toilet Soap Regular Bars 3 for 10¢

White King Soap Toilet—Regular Bar 3 for 14¢

THESE MEATS GUARANTEED TENDER

POULTRY

Fricassee Fowl—Select A Grade, Medium Size—Lb. 37¢

Roasting Chickens—Eastern Eviscerated, A Grade, 2½ lbs. or over—Lb. 62¢

Pork Sausage Rolls	Eastern Pure Pork, 1-lb. Net, Type 1, A. C.—Each	38¢
Rib Lamb Chops	or Rib Lamb Roast—A & AA Quality—Lb.	42¢
Shoulder Lamb Roast	Square Cut, A & AA Quality—Lb.	33¢
Fancy Turkeys	Young Hens, 12 to 15 lb. Avg., A Grade—Lb.	46¢
Lamb Braising Cuts	Fresh Cut, Breast or Neck Lb.	12¢
Fresh Pork Sausage	Country Style Bulk, Type 1, Pure Pork, A. C.—Lb.	35¢

Canned Foods

Corn	Highway, G. Cr. Style—No. 2	2 for 25c
Corn	Del Monte Golden V. P.—12-oz.	2/25c
Soup	Heinz, Tomato 11-oz. Can	11c
Treet	Armour's, Lunch Meat—12-oz. Can	30
Apricots	Sundown, Wh., Unp.—2½ Can	18c
Plums	Pacific Mist, Wh., Unp.—No. 2½	17c
Juice	Here's Health, Carrot—No. 2	2 for 25c
Juice	Orange & Grapefruit—Blend O' Gold Unsweetened—No. 2 Can	2 for 35c
Apple Juice	S & W—12-oz. Glass	16c
Peas	Green Giant, Sweet—No. 2	2 for 35c
Green Beans	Highway Cut—No. 2	2 for 29c

Favorite Cereals

Rice Krispies	Kellogg's—5½-oz. Carton	12c
Quick Wheat	Albers—2½-lb. Carton	24c
Wheat Hearts	Sperry—46-oz. Carton	32c
Wheat Sparkies	Quaker Puffed—4-oz.	9c
Oats	H. O. Quick or Regular—2-lb.	23c
Cereal	Instant Ralston—1-lb.	20c
Cereal	Ralston Wheat—1½-lb.	20c
Zoom	Fisher's Instant Cereal—1¼-lb.	20c
Roman Meal	30-oz. Carton	26c
Grape Nuts	Post—12-oz. Carton	14c
Shredded Wheat	N.B.C.—12-oz.	12c

Prices in this Ad are effective Thursday, Friday and Saturday, March 7, 8, 9, in San Francisco, Oakland, Alameda, Berkeley, Hayward, Richmond and other cities and towns in San Mateo, Alameda, and Contra Costa Counties, unless changes are required as a result of new OPA regulations.

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How to Make Lenten Menus Interesting

If you're looking for meatless main course dishes that are tasty and hearty, here are some of my favorites. These are so good that they needn't be reserved just for Lent. You'll find them delicious the year around.

FRENCH TOAST TUNA SALAD SANDWICH

For a satisfying lunch I serve these sandwiches along with Cream of Pea Soup. Then for dessert I like a Frosted Apple Dumpling and plenty of hot coffee or tea.

Make sandwiches using a well-seasoned tuna salad mixture. For each 3 sandwiches mix together 2 slightly beaten eggs, ½ cup of milk and ¼ teaspoon salt. Cut sandwiches in half if desired. Dip in egg and milk mixture. Saute in hot shortening in heavy frying pan, turning to brown both sides. Serve hot.

LIMA BEAN AND CHEESE SALAD

Buttered spinach or Swiss chard, hot bran muffins and chocolate cake for dessert combine with this salad to make a complete supper or lunch.

To 2 cups of cooked dried lima beans, well-drained, add 2 cups finely shredded cabbage, 1 cup American cheese cut in small cubes, and ¼ cup pickle relish. Toss lightly with Thousand Island Dressing. Serve in bowl lined with cabbage leaves. Serves 6 generously.

NOODLES ROMANOFF

Sour cream gives this dish its distinctive flavor. If you have no sour cream, add 1 tablespoon of lemon juice to a cup of cream or undiluted evaporated milk and let stand for 15 to 20 minutes in a warm place.

Cook a 6-oz. package of egg noodles according to directions on the package. Drain well. Add 1 cup of cottage cheese and 1 cup sour cream and season with ¼ cup chopped onion, 1 to 2 teaspoons Worcestershire sauce, a dash of Tabasco or cayenne, salt and paprika. Mix well. Place in casserole and sprinkle with grated sharp cheese or dry bread crumbs. Bake about 40 minutes or until crumbs are brown. Serves 4 to 6.

Carol Drake *Director*
The Homemakers' Bureau
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For example: Most any household item that cost $3.00 in 1939, now costs $4.05—BUT an amount of Natural Gas that cost $3.00 in 1939 now costs only $2.00.

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POOR PAT! WE'RE ALL AT A HIGH TENSION THESE DAYS NERVES FRAY EASILY.
I'M NO ANGEL-CHILE. BUT I DON'T BARK AT PEOPLE-AND I DO LIKE CIVIL ANSWERS TO REASONABLE QUESTIONS!
I KNOW JUST THE ANSWER TO YOUR MAIDEN'S PRAYER. HAVE YOU SHOPPED FOR DINNER TONIGHT?
NO-AND I CAN'T SAY I'M LOOKING FORWARD TO THE JOB, EITHER.
LOOK PRETTY, PAT! I'M GOING TO INTRODUCE YOU TO SOME FRIENDS OF MINE!
WHY, IT'S ACTUALLY A PLEASURE TO SHOP HERE!
FRIENDLINESS AND COURTESY ARE JUST SECOND-NATURE TO SAFEWAY!